

Condition of Lake Erie Largemouth Bass Sampled in the ODOW Nearshore Community Survey 2014-2016

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Data Prep

```
Stock <- read.csv("Data/Clean-Data/2012-2016_nearshore-survey-largemouth-bass_Stock_CLEAN.csv") %>%
  filter(fyr>=2014) %>%
  arrange(Year,gcat)

Stock$fyr <- as.factor(Stock$fyr)

headtail(Stock)

str(Stock)

## 'data.frame': 314 obs. of 16 variables:
## $ Year : int 2014 2014 2014 2014 2014 2014 2014 2014 2014 2014 2014 ...
## $ Site : int 8 10 18 15 16 6 10 15 16 2 ...
## $ FID : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ Weight: num 851 794 737 851 879 ...
## $ Length: int 384 384 384 386 395 397 403 405 405 407 ...
## $ AC : int 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 ...
## $ AGE : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ SexCon: int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ Sex : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ Delts : logi NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ logW : num 2.93 2.9 2.87 2.93 2.94 ...
## $ logL : num 2.58 2.58 2.58 2.59 2.6 ...
## $ fyr : Factor w/ 3 levels "2014","2015",...: 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ Ws : num 852 852 852 867 935 ...
## $ Wr : num 99.9 93.2 86.5 98.2 94 ...
## $ gcat : Factor w/ 3 levels "preferred","quality",...: 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...

unique(Stock$fyr)

## [1] 2014 2015 2016
## Levels: 2014 2015 2016
```

Note

I removed the years 2012 and 2013. 2012 because only large fish have weight length data and more and different sites were samples. 2013 lacks weight data due to the loss of unifying ID variable and weight and lengths being separated on different tabs.

Summarize Relative Weight by Year

```
(Wr.Stock <- Summarize(Wr ~ fyr, data = Stock) %>% arrange(fyr))
```

```
##   fyr   n   mean      sd  min      Q1 median   Q3   max
## 1 2014 140 109.6148 15.74476 80.40  98.78  106.9 117.8 151.3
## 2 2015  67 109.8385 15.56879 78.24  98.50  108.9 120.8 149.7
## 3 2016 107 115.3857 13.81954 61.76 107.90  115.4 124.6 146.2
```

I have created a file with the relative weight of each gabelhouse length category for each year. The file name is relative-weight_largemouth-bass_STOCK.csv.

Note

The relative weight data contains only stock length individuals. This is so that I can easily compare the relative weight of fish with PSD. This is done despite the min TL being 150 mm. I may want to summarize relative weight for 150mm and greater length individuals in the future to see if young/small fish drive down or increase Wr.

Lets start exploring the relative weight data. I have two questions I would like to know the answer to.

- 1) does Wr differ among years?
- 2) does Wr differ among gabelhouse length categories?

First Lets see if Wr is different between years.

```
aov1 <- lm(Wr ~ fyr, data = Stock)
Anova(aov1)
```

```
## Anova Table (Type II tests)
##
## Response: Wr
##           Sum Sq Df F value    Pr(>F)
## fyr           2293  2    5.043 0.006992 **
## Residuals    70699 311
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

mc1 <- glht(aov1, mcp(fyr = "Tukey"))
summary(mc1)
```

```
##
## Simultaneous Tests for General Linear Hypotheses
##
## Multiple Comparisons of Means: Tukey Contrasts
##
##
## Fit: lm(formula = Wr ~ fyr, data = Stock)
##
## Linear Hypotheses:
##           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## 2015 - 2014 == 0    0.2238     2.2398  0.100  0.99448
## 2016 - 2014 == 0    5.7709     1.9361  2.981  0.00862 **
## 2016 - 2015 == 0    5.5471     2.3489  2.362  0.04872 *
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## (Adjusted p values reported -- single-step method)
```

Looks like Wr is different between years (One-Way ANOVA, $F_{2,311} = 5.04$, $p = 0.007$). There is no difference in relative weight between 2015 and 2014 (Tukey HSD, $t = 0.1$, $p = 0.99$). However, relative weight is significantly different between 2016 and 2014 (Tukey HSD, $t = 2.98$, $p = 0.009$), and 2016 and 2015 (Tukey HSD, $t = 2.36$, $p = 0.049$).

constructing a plot of Wr and Year

```
grps <- c("2014", "2015", "2016")
nd <- data.frame(fyr = factor(grps, levels = grps))
(pred <- predict(aov1, nd, interval = "confidence"))

##      fit      lwr      upr
## 1 109.6148 107.1075 112.1220
## 2 109.8385 106.2142 113.4629
## 3 115.3857 112.5177 118.2537

plotCI(as.numeric(nd$fyr), pred[, "fit"], li = pred[, "lwr"], ui = pred[, "upr"],
       pch = 19, xaxt = "n", xlim = c(0.8, 3.35), ylim = c(100, 120), xlab = "Year",
       ylab = "Mean Wr")

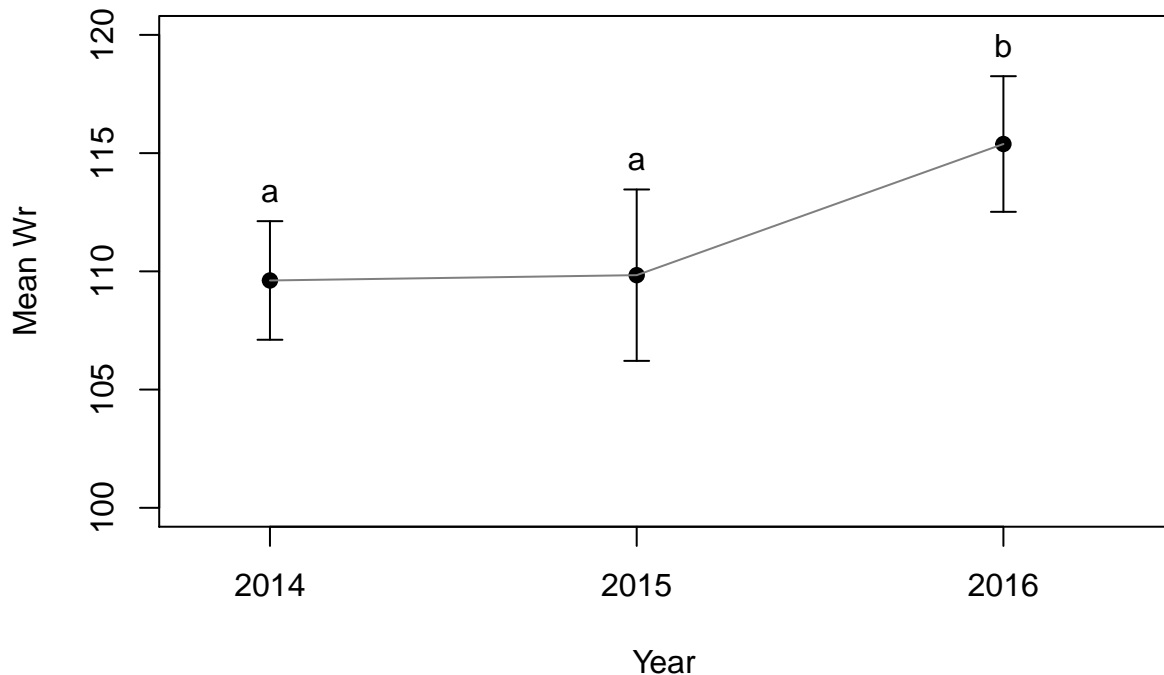
lines(nd$fyr, pred[, "fit"], col = "gray50")

axis(1, at = nd$fyr, labels = nd$fyr)

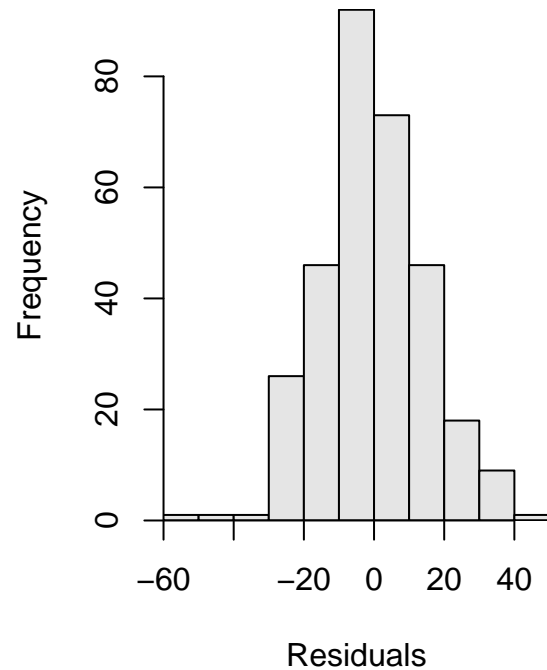
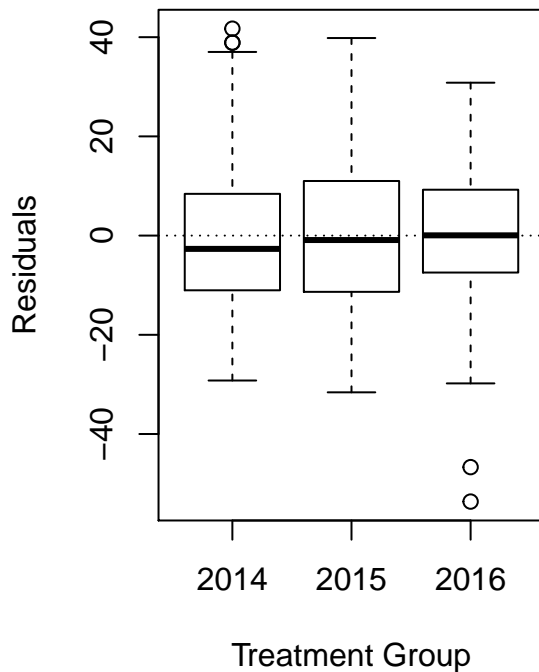
cld(mc1)

## 2014 2015 2016
##  "a"  "a"  "b"

text(x = nd$fyr, y = pred[, "upr"], labels = c("a", "a", "b"), pos = 3)
```



```
residPlot(aov1)
```



```
leveneTest(aov1)
```

```
## Levene's Test for Homogeneity of Variance (center = median)
##      Df F value Pr(>F)
## group  2  1.7508 0.1753
##      311
```

Variance are equal and the homoscedasticity assumption is likely met (Levene's Test, $F_{2,311} = 1.75$, $p = 0.18$).

```
Year <- c("2014", "2015", "2016")
pred <- data.frame(Year, pred)
names(pred) <- c("Year", "Wr", "LCI", "UCI")
str(pred)
```

```
## 'data.frame':   3 obs. of  4 variables:
## $ Year: Factor w/ 3 levels "2014","2015",...: 1 2 3
## $ Wr : num  110 110 115
## $ LCI : num  107 106 113
## $ UCI : num  112 113 118
```

```
head(pred)
```

```
##   Year      Wr      LCI      UCI
## 1 2014 109.6148 107.1075 112.1220
## 2 2015 109.8385 106.2142 113.4629
## 3 2016 115.3857 112.5177 118.2537
```

```
# 1-4-18#write.csv(pred,file =
# 'Data/Clean-Data/relative-weight_largemouth-bass_STOCK.csv')
```

To Be Continued...

I will look into the difference in Wr between gcat at a later date. I don't think this matters so much as of now.

```
Wr.14 <- filterD(Stock, Year == 2014)
Wr.15 <- filterD(Stock, Year == 2015)
Wr.16 <- filterD(Stock, Year == 2016)
```